



SC Annual School Report Card Summary

North Central High School
KERSHAW COUNTY
Grades: 9-12 Enrollment: 477
Principal: Worth B. Thomasson III
Superintendent: Frank E. Morgan, Ed.D.
Board Chair: Mara H. Jones

PERFORMANCE

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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		ESEA/FEDERAL ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM	
			General Performance	Closing the Gap	ESEA Grade	Accountability Indicator
2014	Excellent	Excellent	TBD	TBD	A	N/A
2013	Excellent	Good	GOLD	GOLD	B	N/A
2012	Good	Average	N/A	N/A	C	N/A

ABSOLUTE RATING OF HIGH SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
7	18	10	0	0

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 04/27/2015. Schools with Students Like Ours with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this district.

HIGH SCHOOL ASSESSMENT PROGRAM(HSAP) EXAM PASSAGE RATE(%): SECOND YEAR STUDENTS

	Our High School		High Schools with Students Like Ours	
	2013	2014	2013	2014
Passed 2 subtests (%)	81.8%	80.3%	72.2%	69.4%
Passed 1 subtest (%)	9.9%	13.7%	16.1%	19.5%
Passed no subtests (%)	8.3%	6.0%	12.4%	11.9%

HSAP PASSAGE RATE (%) BY SPRING 2014

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Passage Rate	90.3%	90.4%

ON-TIME GRADUATION RATE

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Number of students	114	166
Number of diplomas	97	129
Rate (%)	85.1%	78.6%

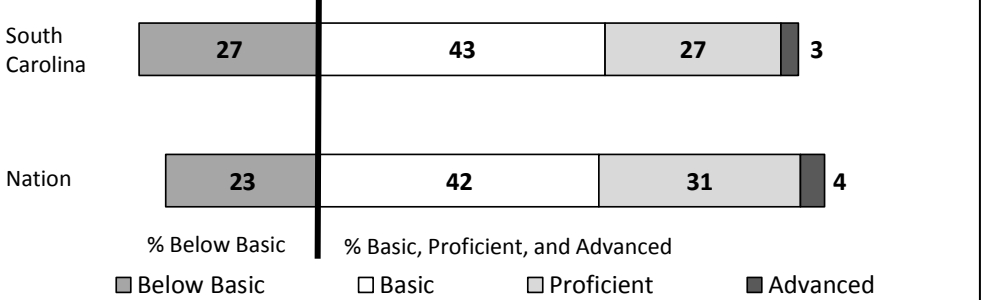
END OF COURSE TESTS - 2014

% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	92.5%	76.3%
English 1	76.7%	64.5%
Biology 1/Applied Biology 2	78.8%	69.6%
US History and the Constitution	70.9%	55.6%
All Tests	79.8%	66.3%

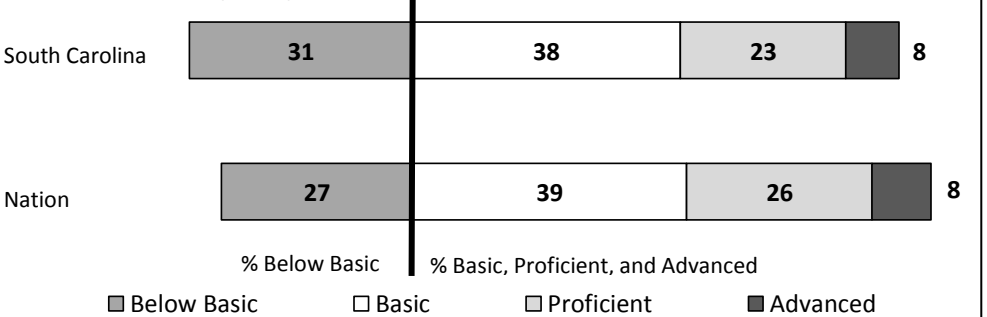
NAEP*

*Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level.
Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.

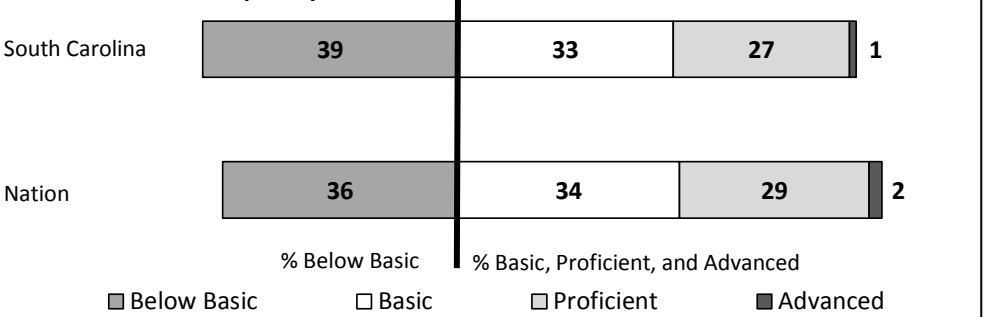
READING - GRADE 8 (2013)



MATH - GRADE 8 (2013)



SCIENCE - GRADE 8 (2011)



SC PERFORMANCE VISION

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

Abbreviations Key

N/A-Not Applicable

N/AV-Not Available

N/C-Not Collected

N/R-Not Reported

I/S-Insufficient Sample

TBD-To Be Determined

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KERSHAW COUNTY
SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	High Schools with Students Like Ours	Median High School
Students (n = 477)				
Retention Rate	4.1%	Down from 5.0%	3.8%	3.0%
Attendance Rate	98.9%	Up from 95.1%	96.2%	96.2%
Served by gifted and talented program	31.3%	Up from 28.4%	16.2%	17.7%
With disabilities	10.6%	Down from 11.0%	12.4%	11.5%
Older than usual for grade	9.3%	Down from 9.7%	8.5%	7.1%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.0%	No change	1.1%	1.1%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	27.1%	Up from 3.8%	9.4%	15.4%
Successful on AP/IB exams	27.3%	N/A	33.3%	52.8%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	22.2%	Down from 30.4%	29.9%	30.6%
Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	13.5%	Down from 33.1%	10.4%	5.3%
Enrollment in career/technology courses	282	Up from 266	282	423
Career/technology students attaining technical skills	86.5%	Up from 85.5%	83.4%	84.5%
Annual dropout rate	1.5%	Up from 1.3%	2.3%	2.1%
Teachers (n = 30)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	63.3%	Down from 70.0%	62.2%	64.3%
Continuing contract teachers	73.3%	Down from 80.0%	76.2%	77.3%
Teachers returning from previous year	81.6%	Up from 79.3%	83.8%	85.5%
Teacher attendance rate	95.4%	Up from 94.0%	95.1%	95.5%
Average teacher salary*	\$47,232	Down 6.0%	\$47,257	\$48,414
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.7%	Down from 10.6%	2.2%	3.0%
Professional development days/teacher	1.6 days	Down from 6.5 days	10.2 days	10.0 days
School				
Principal's years at school	7.0	Up from 6.0	4.0	3.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	25.3 to 1	Up from 24.1 to 1	24.6 to 1	26.0 to 1
Prime instructional time	93.2%	Up from 87.9%	89.8%	90.3%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$10,200	Up 4.9%	\$9,318	\$8,238
Percent expenditures for teacher salaries**	49.5%	Up from 48.0%	54.2%	56.9%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	50.0%	Up from 49.0%	55.6%	58.0%
Opportunities in the arts	Excellent	No change	Good	Excellent
SACS accreditation	Yes	No change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	99.4%	Down from 99.9%	99.3%	98.7%
Character development program	Excellent	No change	Good	Good
ESEA composite index score	93.6	Up from 85.3	82.1	84.1

* Length of contract = 185+ days.
**Prior year audited financial data available.

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	30	60	34
Percent satisfied with learning environment	96.7%	76.7%	79.4%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	100.0%	81.3%	85.2%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	63.3%	89.9%	67.6%

* Only eleventh grade students and their parents were included. For schools without grade eleven, only the highest grade was included.

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REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL
IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

School narrative was not provided.